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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.

10/518,892

Applicant

: Herbert Faehrrolfes et al.

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June 22, 2005

Title

METHOD FOR FORMING A METALLIC

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FLAT MATERIAL, PRODUCTION

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METHOD FOR A COMPOSITE MATERIAL

AND DEVICES FOR CARRYING OUT

SAID METHODS

Group Art Unit

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Examiner

John C. Hong

Docket No.

040621

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RESPONSE

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219

July 21, 2008

Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 12, 2008, Applicants request the Examiner to consider the following remarks.

Please find provided herewith power of attorneys appointing Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney PC as the attorneys for Applicants.

An IDS has also been provided herewith. Since an examination on the merits has not yet taken place because only an examination of cancelled claims was previously made, a fee or oath is not believed to be required. However, authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit